

H.R. 1800: Mr. GUTKNECHT.
H.R. 1828: Mr. SALMON.
H.R. 1873: Mr. HORN.
H.R. 2124: Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. LATOURETTE, and Mr. GOODE.
H.R. 2174: Mr. FILNER, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. ALLEN, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, and Mr. GEJDENSON.
H.R. 2183: Mr. GOODLING, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, and Mr. LUTHER.
H.R. 2202: Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. JENKINS, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, and Mr. VENTO.
H.R. 2231: Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. DELAY, Mr. HALL of Texas, and Mr. SAM JOHNSON.
H.R. 2252: Mrs. THURMAN.
H.R. 2273: Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Ms. SANCHEZ, and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.
H.R. 2290: Mr. MARTINEZ.
H.R. 2321: Mr. HULSHOF.
H.R. 2382: Mr. CLYBURN.
H.R. 2456: Mrs. TAUSCHER.
H.R. 2457: Ms. SANCHEZ.
H.R. 2462: Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. ROYCE, and Mr. ANDREWS.
H.R. 2468: Mr. TOWNS, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. CUMMINGS, and Ms. NORTON.
H.R. 2485: Mr. BLUMENAUER.
H.R. 2488: Mr. GREEN.
H.R. 2492: Mr. Gutierrez.
H.R. 2495: Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. EDWARDS, and Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.
H.R. 2509: Mr. SPRATT, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, and Mr. LEVIN.
H.R. 2526: Mr. FATTAH.
H.R. 2553: Mr. TORRES.
H.R. 2593: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. HILL, Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin, Mr. KOLBE, Mrs. THURMAN, and Mr. FARR of California.
H.R. 2596: Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. THUNE, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. WALSH, and Mr. LATHAM.
H.R. 2597: Mr. HINCHEY.
H.R. 2611: Mr. COCKSEY, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. PITTS, Mr. REDMOND, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. STUMP, and Mr. ROGAN.
H.R. 2631: Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, and Mr. LAFALCE.
H.R. 2671: Mr. EVANS.
H.R. 2693: Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. SANDLIN, and Mr. UNDERWOOD.
H.R. 2697: Mr. TURNER, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. GREEN, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. EDWARDS, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. LAMPSON, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Ms. STABENOW, Mrs. KELLY, Mrs. FOWLER, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. DIXON, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. WYNN, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. CLAY, Mr. BISHOP, Mrs. CLAYTON, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Ms. HARMAN, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. FURSE, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. ESHOO, and Mrs. LOWEY.
H.R. 2699: Mr. MATSUI.
H.R. 2717: Mrs. TAUSCHER.
H.R. 2718: Mr. KINGSTON.
H.R. 2733: Mr. STUMP, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. BALLENGER, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. BRADY, Mr. COBURN, Ms. FURSE, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. DREIER, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. WYNN.
H.R. 2748: Mr. MCHUGH.
H.R. 2761: Ms. MCKINNEY.

H.R. 2795: Mr. BEREUTER.
H.R. 2804: Ms. CARSON.
H.R. 2805: Mr. DEFAZIO.
H.R. 2829: Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. BAESLER, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. CALLAHAN, Ms. DANNER, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. KLINK, Mr. FORBES, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. GREEN, Mr. HOYER, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. HYDE, Mr. MASCARA, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. POSHARD, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. ROEMER, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. TIAHRT, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.
H.J. Res. 83: Mr. NORWOOD.
H. Con. Res. 106: Mr. BLUMENAUER and Mr. FARR of California.
H. Con. Res. 150: Mrs. KELLY and Mr. MCHUGH.
H. Con. Res. 152: Mr. BORSKI.
H. Res. 267: Mr. NEUMAN and Mr. WELDON of Florida.

¶127.50 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were deleted from public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 1202: Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 2198: Mr. ARMEY.

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The House was called to order by the SPEAKER.

¶128.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, November 6, 1997.

Mr. McNULTY, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, objected to the Chair's approval of the Journal.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to the Chair's approval of said Journal?

The SPEAKER announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. McNULTY objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

The SPEAKER pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced that the vote would be postponed until later today.

The point of no quorum was considered as withdrawn.

¶128.2 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

5806. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Food and Consumer Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Commodity Supplemental Food Program—Caseload Assignment (RIN: 0584-AC60) received October 27, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5807. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Command, Control, Communications, and Intelligence, Department of Defense, transmitting a report describing the support services other than telecommunications provided to the White House by the Department of Defense through the White House Communications Agency for the 4th quarter of FY 1997, pursuant to Public Law 104—201, section 912; to the Committee on National Security.

5808. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's report entitled "Model Comprehensive Program for the Treatment of Substance Abuse, Metropolitan Area Treatment Enhancement System (MATES)" for Fiscal Year 1996, pursuant to Public Law 102—321, section 301 (106 Stat. 419); to the Committee on Commerce.

5809. A letter from the Director, Administration and Management, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Defense Special Weapons Agency Privacy Program [DSWA Instruction 5400.11B] received October 22, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

5810. A letter from the Board Members, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting the Board's annual report on the Program Fraud Civil Remedies Act for fiscal year 1997, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3810; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

5811. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary (Civil Works), Department of the Army, transmitting a letter stating that an emergency exists at Devils Lake, North Dakota, pursuant to Public Law 93—288, section 102; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5812. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—Miscellaneous Educational Revisions (RIN: 2900-A169) received October 27, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

5813. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Food and Consumer Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Food Distribution Programs—Reduction of the Paperwork Burden (RIN: 0584-AB27) received October 14, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Agriculture and Education and the Workforce.

5814. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule—Medicare Program; Revisions to Payment Policies and Adjustments to the Relative Value Units Under the Physician Fee Schedule, Other Part B Payment Policies, and Establishment of the Clinical Psychologist Fee Schedule for Calendar Year 1998 [BPD-884-FC] (RIN: 0938-AH94) received October 30, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Commerce and Ways and Means.

5815. A letter from the Chair of the Board, Office of Compliance, transmitting notice of adoption of amendments to regulations under section 205 of the Congressional Accountability Act of 1995 for publication in the Congressional RECORD, pursuant to Public Law 104—1, section 303(b) (109 Stat. 28); jointly to the Committees on House Oversight and Education and the Workforce.

5816. A letter from the Chair of the Board, Office of Compliance, transmitting notice of adoption of amendments to regulations under section 215 of the Congressional Accountability Act of 1995 for publication in the Congressional RECORD, pursuant to Public Law 104—1, section 303(b) (109 Stat. 28); jointly to the Committees on House Oversight and Education and the Workforce.

5817. A letter from the Chair of the Board, Office of Compliance, transmitting notice of adoption of amendments to regulations under section 204 of the Congressional Accountability Act of 1995 for publication in the Congressional RECORD, pursuant to Public Law 104—1, section 303(b) (109 Stat. 28); jointly to the Committees on House Oversight and Education and the Workforce.